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HOME GIRL WANTS TO JOIN U. S. NAVY

The Helena Independent of a few days ago contained an article relative to two girls of Montana who had made application to Secretary of Navy Daniels to join Uncle Sam's navy. One of these girls was Miss Catherine Calk, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price Calk, of the county. Miss Calk has been making her home in Montana for several years, where she took up a homestead a few years ago and her land is growing more valuable every year. In addition to running her ranch she is also an expert stenographer and is employed by the State Legislature during its sessions. At the close of the last session Miss Calk was given a position in the office of the State Auditor. The other young lady is Miss Elizabeth Tristehman. These young women are the first in the great state of Montana to offer their services to the Government and we are proud of the fact that one of them is a Kentuckian. At the time of our going to press we were unable to ascertain whether the applications had been accepted or not.

STREET IMPROVEMENT

The alley from Howard avenue to Main street is being put into first class condition by the city. Contractor James Richards has had a force of men at work for several days and as soon as same has been properly rocked it will be rolled. The much needed improvement will be appreciated by a large number of people who use this thoroughfare. A sidewalk will be constructed on the east side of same.

WILL VISIT THIS CITY

The Government has sent out the information that a body of men forming a recruiting party will visit this city May 28th. The object is to interest young men in joining the Navy. The party will shortly thereafter again visit this city in order to examine any who desire to join that branch of the Government service.

Mrs. H. R. Prewitt has Jersey cream for sale.

NEW DEACONS ARE ORDAINED

Impressive Ordination Services Held
at Baptist Church Sunday
Afternoon.

The young men recently selected as deacons of the Baptist church in this city were ordained Sunday afternoon. Rev. Motley, of Winchester, preached a most excellent sermon as did also Rev. J. W. Black, of Morehead. Rev. J. S. Wilson led in the ordination prayer. The service was most impressive, and the putting at the head of the church of these young men should instill new life and vigor into the business affairs especially of the institution. The following gentlemen were ordained: Messrs. J. C. Graves, J. W. Hedden, Jr., G. C. Anderson, E. A. Flynn and Tandy Chenault. With the hearty co-operation of the membership these gentlemen will be able to accomplish great good for the advancement of the work in this community.

EGGS VERY HIGH

Mr. G. D. Sullivan, the local poultry man, told us today that eggs were higher now than he had ever known them to be during the month of April in the twenty-one years he has been in business. He said he once shipped a carload to New York and received 24 cents per dozen for them but that eggs were now bringing 30 to 31 cents per dozen in this city.

Lost or Misplaced.

Some time last fall or winter someone rented my electric vacuum cleaner and has forgotten to return same. I know this is simply an oversight but as I have had several calls for same this spring I would greatly appreciate it if the person who has it would either return it or phone me at the office of the Kentucky Utilities Co., Phone 4, and I will send after same.

43-3t Luther Redmond.

For Sale

Buggy in good condition.
K. N. DeHaven.

TOO MANY LOAFERS

A census of the saloons of Lexington was taken Monday by the Herald of that city and it was found that 557 men were idling in the barrooms in the middle of the afternoon and 164 contributing to their idleness, by selling them the liquor that increases their desire for wanton waste of time and energy. There were 105 saloons visited. With the farmers of the country needing help and willing to pay good wages it looks like some steps should be taken to make these loafers get busy. In a city as "wet" as Lexington it took a paper of real courage to make public such a condition of affairs. Similar conditions exist in every "wet" city in the State.

FIELDS SENDS SEED

Congressman W. J. Fields on Friday, of last week sent us a large sack of garden seed and the supply lasted only Saturday and Monday. If the number of people who called for seed will plant and raise what has been given them we feel sure the high cost of living will receive quite a jolt. The sack of seed sent us by Senator Beckham and advertised in our last issue lasted less than six hours. We are under many obligations to these gentlemen for remembering us and we are only too glad the opportunity was given us to distribute this seed.

ROAD WORK STARTED

Contractors Tipton & McAlister last week opened up a fine quarry on the farm of Mr. Geo. W. Anderson, Sr., on the Levee pike and have set their steam drill, rock crusher, etc., and have started crushing the rock for the resurfacing of the Levee turnpike. This work is being done under the supervision of the State Engineer from the Road Department who is on the job.

CONCLUDES LECTURE

Mr. D. L. Pendleton finished his lecture, "War and Prophecy," Sunday night at the Christian church, a large audience being present to enjoy same. Mr. Pendleton started his lecture Sunday, the 14th, but did not have time to complete same so postponed it until Sunday evening. He is a deep thinker and scholar and his audiences were much impressed with his remarks.

BLIND MAN DIES

Mr. Thomas M. Johnson died at the home of Mr. Joe Swartz in this city Monday after a long illness. Mr. Johnson had been blind for forty-seven years. His body will be taken to Lexington tomorrow for burial. Mr. Johnson was a widower, his wife having been dead for several years.

RED CROSS ORGANIZED

Branch of National Organization Is
Formed in This City Monday
Afternoon.

The Montgomery County Chapter of the American Red Cross Society was organized in this city Monday afternoon with ten charter members. Col. A. W. Hamilton was selected as Chairman, Mrs. Robert H. Winn, Vice Chairman, Mrs. Mary Crawford Bassett, Secretary and Mr. R. H. Lane, Treasurer. A campaign for membership will be inaugurated at once and Mrs. George Hunt, of Lexington, will come to this city and address those interested in the work at a meeting to be held at the Rest Rooms Thursday afternoon at 2:30. We wish our people would show their patriotism by joining in this great movement. We all should be glad of the opportunity to share in this great work. Won't you make a special effort to be present Thursday afternoon at 2:30?

Don't be a slacker on May 6th. Go to Sunday School.

CAPTAIN STROSSMAN

Mr. W. H. Strossman, Jr., was selected unanimously as Captain of the Mt. Sterling Minute Men at the meeting of that organization held last Tuesday night. Mr. Strossman's selection could not be improved upon.

CONCLAVE AT COVINGTON

The Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Kentucky Knight Templars will be held at Covington, Ky., May 16th and 17th. Quite a number of Knight Templars here who belong to the Grand Commandery will attend the meeting.

GOVERNMENT BUYS COLTS

A government official accompanied by a veterinary was in this city Monday taking up the three-year-old colts by the government stallion Young Bill. The price paid was \$150.00 per head. Young Bill is now in charge of Mr. B. F. Herriott.

BUYS NICE HOME

Dr. R. E. May has purchased the handsome bungalow of Dr. Ollie Clarke on North Sycamore street and will move there shortly to reside. This is one of the prettiest homes in the city. Price private.

ATTENDS CONVENTION

Mr. John W. Jones is in Louisville this week attending the convention of the Kentucky Association of Optometrists.

PUSHING STREET WORK

The Carey-Reed Company has quite a number of men at work on the streets to be improved this year and are rushing the work as rapidly as possible. In addition to the several teams now used the company has sent up from Lexington a large auto truck to use in hauling sand, cement, rock, etc., which will facilitate the work greatly. The large concrete mixer will be started Wednesday morning on Sycamore street. The company has been greatly handicapped owing to its inability to get supplies. Mr. F. P. Solomon, who is in charge of the work, says that every effort will be made to complete the work as quickly as possible.

RACES THIS WEEK

The running races begin at Lexington Saturday of this week and from reports this meeting will be one of the biggest ones ever held in that city. More than seven hundred horses are at the track and as the purses are the largest that have been offered for several years there are more horses of real class to contend for them than in many years. Quite a number of people from this city will attend.

GOVERNMENT PLANTS SHRUBS AND FLOWERS

A landscape gardener with a force of men has been busy for several days setting out trees and shrubs on the beautiful lawn of the Postoffice building. Quite a number of people think the shrubs, etc., will add to the attractiveness of the lawn while others think the beautiful bluegrass lawn could not be improved upon.

SEND HORSES TO LEXINGTON

Mr. Nat. B. Young, Jr., last week sent three trotting bred colts to Lexington to Trainer Ed. Willis to train for him this summer. Mr. Young has had splendid luck with the youngsters he has handled in the last few years. Mr. J. R. Magowan also sent one colt to the same trainer.

For Sale

A good, gentle buggy horse, or will exchange for a good wagon horse. Star Planing Mill Co.

YOUNG COUPLE ARE MARRIED

Miss Mattie Pangburn and Mr. J. Courtney Horton are Married
Monday Afternoon.

Miss Mattie Pangburn, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Pangburn and Mr. J. Courtney Horton, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Horton, were married at the Pangburn residence in this city Monday afternoon at 3:30. Rev. Clyde Darsie, of the Christian church officiating. Only the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. Following the ceremony the happy couple motored to Lexington, from which city they will leave for a bridal trip of a ten day's duration to the cities of the North and East. Upon their return they will go to housekeeping in the handsome home of Mrs. Mary Wood Rice on Samuels avenue.

Miss Pangburn is one of the prettiest girls ever reared in our city and in addition to her beauty possesses a disposition of rare sweetness and a charm of manner that has endeared her to countless friends.

Mr. Horton is one of the city's most popular young men. He is connected with the government postal service and also with the Farmers Tobacco Warehouse Co., of this city. Bright, energetic and having the pleasing faculty of making and retaining friends he is one of the best known young men of the county.

Beautifully engraved wedding announcements have been received by friends and the Advocate joins in tendering best wishes for a long and happy life.

ANDERSON SELLS LAMBS

Mr. Grover C. Anderson last week sold to Mr. Oscar M. Chandler, of Bath county, the lambs from 700 to 1000 ewes at \$13.50. Deliveries to be made in June, July and August. Mr. Anderson also sold to Mr. T. M. Greene representing Mr. Leslie Combs, of Fayette county, 3000 pounds of wool at 55 cents.

Money to Loan

In any amount from \$500 to \$50,000; three, five or seven years on improved Real Estate upon reasonable terms.

TALK WITH HOFFMAN

THE TABB THEATRE

Judy & Gay, Lessees

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25

MISS CHRISTINE MAYO

The Screen's Greatest Vampire
and
Broadway's Most Beautiful Actress

WILL BE HERE IN PERSON

Miss Mayo will deliver a talk at all shows and hold a reception immediately following each. A feature will be shown starring Miss Mayo.

PRICES : : 15 AND 25 CENTS

THURSDAY, APRIL 26

RETURN BY POPULAR DEMAND

A Picturization of
ROBERT W. CHAMBERS GREATEST NOVEL
"THE GIRL PHILIPPA"

Featuring America's Daintiest Actress

ANITA STEWART

NOTE—We have shown many features but none that excel; in our estimation, "The Girl Philippi." Ask someone who saw it at first showing.

PRICES - - 15 AND 25 CENTS

WEEKLY PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25th.
Personal Appearance of Miss Mayo
Also a Feature Starring Miss Mayo
Pathe News and Ford Weekly

THURSDAY, APRIL 26th.
Anita Stewart in "Girl Philippa"
Also Hearst-Pathe News

FRIDAY, APRIL 27th.
Marie Doro in "Lost and Won"
Also Pearl White

SATURDAY, APRIL 28th.
Lew Fields in "The Man Who Stood Still"
Also a Comedy

MONDAY, APRIL 30th.
Wallace Reid and Cleo Ridgely in "The Golden Fetter"
Also Mrs. Vernon Castle

TUESDAY, MAY 1st.
Bessie Eyton in "The Little Lost Sister"

Matinee Every Day at 2:00 and 3:30.